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July 20, 2004

EMAIL & US MAIL

Ms. Nancy Yates
Vice President
MetaNet Internet Solutions, Inc.
1630 Rivers Street
Greenwood, South Carolina 29649

Dear Ms. Yates:

The Pleading which you filed on behalf of MetaNet Internet Solutions, Inc. has been duly received and assigned Docket No. 2004-176-C.

In order to proceed with the processing of this Docket, it will be necessary for you to accomplish the following:

Publish, at your own expense, on or before **July 29, 2004**, the enclosed Notice, in newspapers of general circulation, in the affected areas, one time and provide the undersigned Proof of Publication on or before **August 17, 2004**.

Failure to comply with the above on or before the dates indicated may result in the **DISMISSAL** of your pleading.

In the meantime, should you require additional information, please advise.

Sincerely yours,

Bruce F. Duke Executive Director

BFD:

Enclosure

C: Michael A. Paulin, CPA

NOTICE OF FILING AND HEARING

MetaNet Internet Solutions, Inc. (Applicant) filed an Application with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide resold local exchange telecommunications services in South Carolina. The Applicant proposes to serve both residential and business customers.

A copy of the Application is on file in the offices of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, 101 Executive Center Drive, Saluda Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29210 and is available through Ms. Nancy Yates, Vice President, MetaNet Internet Solutions, Inc., 1630 Rivers Street, Greenwood, South Carolina 29649.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE a hearing on the above matter has been scheduled to begin at **10:30 a.m., on Thursday, September 23, 2004**, before the Commission in the Commission's Hearing Room at 101 Executive Center Drive, Saluda Building, Columbia, South Carolina 29210.

PLEASE BE ADVISED that pursuant to South Carolina Code of Laws – Section 58-9-280, as amended, the Commission will invoke the 120-day period allowed for consideration of this matter.

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing should notify Bruce F. Duke, Executive Director, at the address below, and Ms. Nancy Yates, at the previously stated address in writing, on or before **August 24, 2004**, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please refer to **Docket No. 2004-176-C**.

Any person who wishes to present his views to the Public Service Commission may do so in writing, on or before August 24, 2004. Please refer to Docket No. 2004-176-C.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with Commission's Procedures, on or before **August 24**, **2004**. Please refer to **Docket No. 2004-176-C**.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission by dialing (803) 896-5105.

BRUCE F. DUKE

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